

1. A method of memorializing a deceased comprising:

providing a common base, the base including a cremation  
remains compartment therein and being adapted to have secured thereto a  
figurine;

5                      providing a plurality of figurines, the figurines adapted to be  
interchangeably secured to the common base;

                        selecting one figurine from the plurality of figurines for  
securement to the common base;

                        securing the selected figurine to the common base; and

10                     placing cremation remains of the deceased in the cremation  
remains compartment of the common base.

2. A cremation remains container system comprising:

a common base, said base including a cremation remains compartment therein and being adapted to have secured thereto a figurine; and

5 a plurality of figurines, said plurality of figurines adapted to be interchangeably secured to said common base;

whereby one can select one figurine from said plurality of figurines, secure said one figurine to said common base and place cremation remains of a deceased in said cremation remains compartment of said  
10 common base to memorialize the deceased.

3. The cremation remains container system of claim 2 wherein said base includes an opening in a bottom thereof communicating with said compartment, and a cover securable over said opening for securing the cremation remains in said compartment.

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4. The cremation remains container system of claim 3 wherein said cover is recessed so as to be flush with said bottom of said base.

5. The cremation remains container system of claim 3 wherein said cover is secured to said base via fasteners.

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6. The cremation remains container system of claim 5 wherein said fasteners are screws.

7. The cremation remains container system of claim 2 wherein said base and said plurality of figurines include mating fasteners for securing one to another.

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8. The cremation remains container system of claim 7 wherein said base includes a threaded post on a top thereof and said plurality of figurines include a matingly threaded recess in a bottom thereof.

9. A method for a funeral products manufacturer of producing and distributing cremation remains containers comprising:

providing a common base, the base including a cremation remains compartment therein and being adapted to have secured thereto a  
5 figurine;

providing a plurality of figurines, the plurality of figurines adapted to be interchangeably secured to the common base;

selecting a figurine from the plurality of figurines;

securing the selected figurine to the common base; and

10 shipping cremation remains container to a funeral director.

10. The method of claim 9 wherein the funeral products manufacturer manufactures the base in house.

11. The method of claim 9 wherein the funeral products manufacturer purchases the base.

5                   12. The method of claim 9 wherein the funeral products manufacturer manufactures the figurines.

13. The method of claim 9 wherein the funeral products manufacturer purchases the figurines.